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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

PEACE TREATY IN FORCE.

FRANCE TO REPATRIATE GERMAN PRISONERS.

Paris, December 11.

From yesterday at 4.15 in the afternoon the Versailles Treaty is in force and will be enforced in all its terms. Germany becomes immediately liable for a big instalment on

reparation. Returning to his chair after signing, M. Clemenceau, passing the Delegates, stopped and told them he would give an order that very evening for the repatriation of German prisoners.

[A Hongkong Government Gazette Extraordinary published to-day contains the following notification: - "His Excellency the Governor has received a telegram from the Secretary of State for the Colonies to the effect that the proces verbal of deposit of ratification of the Treaty of Peace with Germany was signed at 4 p.m. on Saturday, the 10th of January. "]

#### LATEST SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From Our Own Correspondents.) IMPROVED SITUATION IN SHANGHAL

A DECISION NOT TO STRIKE.

Shanghai, January 13. Late last night the Street Unions League decided against a

general strike. The shops are open this morning. Advertisements in the Chinese Press this morning urge against a strike, riots or violence, and plead for the resumption of normal business.

The shopkeepers hitherto refusing payment, have sent the tax money to the Foreign Commissioner. It is surprising that there was no violence throughout the entire agitation.

#### RETURNED CHINESE COOLIES.

SENDING DELEGATE TO"LABOUR CONGRESS.

Shanghai, January 13. The Chinese Returned Coolies Association are sending delegates to the Washington Labour Congress.

SINGAPORE DEALING WITH VICE QUESTION.

Singapore. January 13. Malay Street and neighbourhood will be entirely cleared by the end-of June of houses of ill fame.

#### SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.

(From Our Own Correspondents.)

SHANGHAI TAX DIFFICULTY.

Shanghai, January 12.

All shops were open at noon. The Municipal Council is in session.

The nineteen shopkeepers (charged with refusing to pay taxes) refused to make an appearance at the Mixed Court this morning. The probable move now will be to summons the Street Union. President.

The tax collectors were unsuccessful to-day.

The Police are seizing the goods from shops refusing to pay taxes, following the non-appearance of the proprietors in the Mixed Court. Early to-night the shops in Fokien, Honan and Foochow roads closed. It is impossible to forecast happenings on Tuesday. The possibility of the strike spreading puts foreigners on the qui vive regarding "chow" etc. To-night the furs, silk and Chinese clothes shops are affected. The strike to-night came after the belief was current that everything was settled amicably. The Council held a meeting this afternoon followed by sending a letter reiterating the promise to lay the matter before the rate; ayers.

"H.M.S: HAWKINS AT BATAVIA.

Singapore, January 9. The cruiser Hawkins (flagship of the China Station) has arrived at Batavia. Admiral Sir Alexander Duff was welcomed by the British Consul-General and by Dutch Sea Lieutenant Hoog, the latter bringing the compliments of the Dutch Admiralty.

FUTURE OF SYRIA.

The "Temps" understands that the main provisions of the agreement between Emir Feisul and the French Government are as follow.—Emir Feisul agrees to France exercising a mandate for the whole of Syria and France consents to the formation of an Arab State embracing the towns of Damascus, Homs and Aleppo which will be administered by Emir Feisul with the assistance of French advisors and inspectors. In the region of Bekaa which is claimed by both Lebanon and the Arab State, policing arrangements will be provisionally under the control of Arab gendarmerie with French military inspectors. The definite allocation of the Bekan region will be made by the Conference, but it is probable that the claims presented by Lebanon will be accepted. Emir Feisul accepts the financial and economic collaboration of France to the exclusion of all other countries. The visit of Emir Feisul to Syria is for the purpose of Drepaning a way for collaboration between France and the Mussulmans of Syria.

#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

CHINA TO-DAY.

London, Jan. 12. The "Times" in a leader says that if the regeneration of China is to be begun, a preliminary step must be either the closing of the rift between North Ching and South China, or its definite recognition, with demarcation. It trusts the domestic troubles will be heated. for a united China will be stronger than divided and mutually hostile segments. It says the disease afflicting the Chinese Republic is pseudo-militarism among a comparative handful of men. Probably the Chinese provincial administrations were never more venal or hopelessly inefficient, but there is quite another side to the gloomy picture. The "Times" quotes Sir John Jordan's testimony at Tsinanfu to China's prosperity and says the explanation of these seeming contradictions is twofold. Firstly the amazing industry and patience of China's myriads, which triumph over defective control and civil war alike. The wonderful qualities of the people will assuredly effect China's salvation, especially in a country of such limitless resources, with immense untapped stores of minerals, an incomparable system of waterways linked up by railways, which are always extending. The nation is moving faster than the Government and rapidly assimilating the more material aspects of western progress. The second reason for China's survival is that the services collecting revenue for the payment of external loans are in the hands of foreigners and therefore saved from speculation. Her foreign trade flourishes because it is in the hands of foreign merchants in the treaty ports, who are free from molestation. It is time the western Governments paid attention to China, which has been almost lost to view during the past five or six years. The Consortium which was to assist her to recover financial stability is receding into the background, and new financial factors are working which may breed confusion and strife. The steady eastward advance of the Bolshevists and the return of Chinese mercenaries from Russia are other aspects of the problem in China, which are quickly coming into prominence. The bulk of the Chinese are docile and pacific, but their very docility and cupidity may make them an easy prey for Bolshevist propaganda.

#### THE EASTERN PERIL

London, Jan. 8.7 Writing to the "Times," Lord Sydenham, dealing with the danger of Bolshevism in the East, says he views the whole situation in the Far East with grave anxiety. China may be too vast and too disjointed to become a field for Bolshevist action, but there are possibilities of fomenting an anti-western agitation in that chaotic republic. By the irony of fate it is the Kaiser, prophet of the Eastern Peril, who has let loose the forces which have made it a reality.

#### - BRITISH SILK INDUSTRY

London, Jan. 8. A deputation from the joint Industrial Council for the Silk Industry visited Sir Auckland Geddes at the Board of Trade yesterday and urged that the most vital factors affecting the silk industry at present were the rates of exchange, enabling British merchants to buy more cheaply from Italy than in the home market, and the serious competition of Japan owing to the low price of labour there. They stated that Japan is now sending to Britain very large quantities of crepe-de-chine, striped and spun shirting and other silk articles formerly produced in Britain. Sir Auckland Geddes promised to consider the matter.

#### SOVIET RUSSIA

Copenhagen, Jan. 7. Mr. O'Grady, through Reuter, said he hoped a definite compact would be signed within a fortnight if the Bolshevists were as genuinely desirous of agreement as Britain was, because only differences on two points remained. Mr. O'Grady has been commissioned to negotiate on behalf of the French and other nationals after he has arranged the question of the British prisoners. Meanwhile the first consignment of supplies and comforts is being despatched to Britishers in Russia on 9th. Jan. via Finland. The Bolshevists are reciprocally obtaining British drugs and Swedish agricultural implements. This is the first deal between Soviet Russia and the outside world.

#### HEAVY-WEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP.

Los Angeles, Jan. 7. Carpentier has accepted an offer to fight Dempsey for a purse of eighty thousand sterling put up by James Coffroth, the owner of the race track at Tiajuana, who will probably construct a special arena for the match. He suggests as a date the 4th, of July and Dempsey. concurs. The respective managers have agreed to limit the fight to fifteen rounds.

#### LABOUR CONFEDERATION

The inaugural meeting of the Economic Council of the General Confederation of Labour Mas Just been held at Paris. In labor circles the meeting is regarded as significant of a development which will likely concentrate the forces of syndicalist organisations on practical improvements in production and industry restor than political activities.—Haves.

#### PRINCE OF WALES' TOUR.

NOT TO VISIT HONGKONG.

The Colonial Secretary fortelegraphic correspondence with £2. 5/- per share and a bonus of Humidity 2 p.m.: -26. the Secretary of State for the £3. 10 - per share, subject to Colonies relating to the tour of deduction of Income Tax. His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales :-

Telegram from Governor to Secretary of State.—"It is understood that His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales intends to visit Australia early in the year. It would be a source of much community to submit the suggest- world. ion to His Majesty the King and sentences is:- "On the

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#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

UNDESIRABLES IN AMERICA.

New York, Jan. 6. A warrant has been issued for the arrest and deportation of Martens, the self-styled Russian Soviet Ambassador, who is in hiding.

Albany, Jan. 6. The New York State legislature, by 140 votes to 6, refused to allow five Socialist members to sit, pending investigation of their eligibility and qualifications. The Socialists declined to leave and were removed by the Sergeant at Arms.

Washington, Jan. 8. The steamer Duford, carrying deportees, is entering the Kiel Canal and is believed to be proceeding to Riga, where the extremists will be transported to Soviet Russia.

#### LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Paris, Jan. 10. The first meeting of the League of Nations will be convened next week at the French Foreign Office. It will, of course, be public, but probably only formal to enable the League to get started.—Havas.

London, Jan. 11. Lord Robert Cecil in a manifesto on behalf of the League of Nations Union says the League exists. Is it to be a real thing or an imposture? All depends on the attitude of the peoples concerned, not least the British peoples. There is no time to be lost. Schemes for limitation of armaments must be worked out, terms of mandates settled, mandatories appointed, an international Court of Justice established, moreover the disquieting Russian situation, the economie chaos of Europe, the defective financial provisions of the Treaty and the early admission to the League of ex-enemy Powers are matters within the League's sphere of action and the policy thereanent must be formulated. He appeals for support in the shape of personal service or pecuniary con-

#### THE AFGHAN CAMPAIGN

Delhi, Dec. 31. With reference to the strictures by some London newspapers anent the Afghan campaign operations on the frontier it is pointed out that the Afghan war was concluded with extraordinary rapidity, the Afghans suing for peace after the British advance of ten miles into their country and twenty-five days campaigning compared with twenty-two months in the 1878-80 war. The fight at Jandola is not regarded as a disaster. It resulted in the submission of the Mahsuds at a cost of 546 casualties, while the casualties of the Mahsuds are estimated at a thousand, the heaviest ever sustained by that tribe. Moreover the enemy in the present campaign were immeasurably better armed and trained than in. the old wars.

#### STRIKE IN BOMBAY.

Bombay, Jan. 2. A widespread strike of mill hands has begun. Over a score of mills are affected. Hitherto there have been no disturbances. The men's demands include a fifty per cent. increase in wages, a ten hour day and a yearly

Bomber 3 9 Per About forty thousand cotton operatives at this is The troops have been called out as a presuitoners measure and posted in the unaffected militar their are mediatestrances.

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#### TO-DAY'S EXCHANGE.

The closing rate of the dollar, on demand, to-day was 5s/11/d.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast:-fine. Baromete wards us the following copies of ending 31st December, 1919, of 30.16. Temperature 2 p.m.: 60.

## EUROPEAN-LADY.

THIEF CAUGHT BY HUSBAND.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Brown were subjected to an annoying experience yesterday when a particularly impudent thief snatched the hand-bag which Mrs. Brown was carrying, but was caught by Mr. Brown after a

The story, as related at the Police Court to-day, when the thief, a small boy, was charged, was to the effect that at about 2.15 p.m. Mrs. Brown, accompanied by her husband, was walking along Queen's Road Central past the Astor House Hotel, when the thief came up, and, snatching the bag from her hand, made off with it. The bag contained, by the way, a purse belonging to Mrs. Brown. The thief, however, was not left to enjoy its possession for long, as Mr. Brown gave chase. Running along Queen's towards the Hong-Road ·Hotel, kong threw the "purse into the side channel. If his intention was to divert attention from himself by this means, it was not realised. Mr. Brown caught him near Sennet Freres jewellery shop, and handed him over to the

Mr. E. B. Potter appeared to defend the prisoner at the Magistracy to-day. Examined by the lawyer, Mrs. Brown admitted that there were several small boys about at the time of the perpetration of the robbery, but the prisoner was the only boy she saw running.

Mr. Brown also gave evidence of the arrest, and the thief, who had had a previous conviction. was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour and given a flogging of 10 strokes with the birch.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

[To The Editor of the " Hongkong Telegraph."]

TYPHOON ENQUIRY:

Sir.—Your paper informs the public that His Excellency the Governor is about to hold a Council meeting with a few important men regarding Hongkong's typhoon anchorages, etc. Now, Sir, the typhoon question is the most important in this Colony; in fact, no one wishes to tackle it. For years local shipmasters have given it up-in dis-

Why cannot this meeting be thrown open to the public in the City Hall and beduly advertised ? If it is, I. for one will guarantee a serviceable, cheap and practical method of obtaining a sure warning of typhoons. Then it would only be necessary for every ship and sampan to go to a safe. anchorage. Why must British shipmesters be kept away from such a conference?

> Yours etc. SELF-GOVERNMENT. Hongkong, Jan. 12, 1920.

[Our correspondent is wrong instating that there is to be Council meeting on this subject. His Excellency has merely appointed a Committee to report upon the question of making provision for the protectio of life and property in the harhourduring typhoon weather. We are sure that the Chairman (the Hop. Mr. R. R. Halliest) will be glad to receive any suggestions from shipping becode or others and to

FOOTBALL.

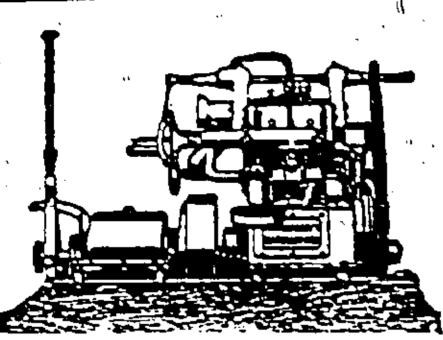
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#### Navy, 3; South China, 1. R.G.A., 2; St Joseph's, 0. LEAGUE: DIVISION II.

Kowloon, 6; Club de Recreio, 0. Evident signs of the end of the League season were in evidence in Saturday's matches as in none of the games was very great interest displayed and each of the winning teams won with every amount of ease. The Second League programme was much curtailed, the Manchester team having left for England and the St. Joseph's v. South China B. match being abandoned for no apparent reason. This rather contemptuous regard for advertised fixtures has been apparent n one or two of the purely local clubs, and it would be as well for the clubs concerned to know that scratching a fixture without due warning or a real excuse merits a pretty severe reprimand and penalty, also the spirit of the thing is entirely bad. We shall be glad to see a satisfactory explanation or else a strong action by the Association, as postponed fixtures are always a source of annoyance in many ways to the officials of the Leagues who have plenty of work in the ordinary course of things, and reappointment of referees and readjustment of matches

is always entails unnecessary

labour. CLUB v. POLICE. were trying several experiments | Booklet Free. and the Police were given a chance to upset the fine Oriene Co., Station Rd. Croydon, Eng., score, and Talfourd was a great League record of the Club team. This they failed despite a hard game. the Club made things warm from the start, and Clarke had to be smart to save good drives from Rodger and Gerrard early in the beat Clarke close in, the Police Omar being weakly put outside." being down 1 goal at the interval. In the second half the Club halves, Ralston, Reichelmann and McPhail, held the rather weak Police attack comfortably, and excepting for an occasional break-away Grimnett, who tricked the defence nicely on occasions, the Club gave Clarke and his backs a worrying time and Gerrard scored scon after the interval. Rodger added the third, catching, a nice pass from McTavish at the right time

the defence with a strong run and scored numl er four close in. Despite the rather one-sided nature of the game, there was some interesting football shown, and the Police never gave up trying against their clever opponents. Clarke saved well in goal and McWalters and J. Clarke were good backs. Kelly, Grinnaette and Maher also did well for the losers. The Club rear division had an easy afternoon, Railton, who changed to back in the second half, and Toukin not being really extended. The balf back line played a very strong game and controlled the ball nicely. Hamilton, Rodger and McTavish were the pick of a clever forward line, but the latter player has yet to recover his last year's reputation as a dangerous

and Ralston broke clean through

Lt. Snook was in charge of the

R.G.A. v. ST. JOSEPH'S. St. Joseph's, as usual, were without several prominent players in the match, Omar (goal), Ogley, the Hyndmans and Abbas being notable defections, and as the R.A. turned out practically a full team including Talfourd. there was never very much doubt about the result. Goals were scarce, however, and perhaps owing to the irregularites of the pitch, or the close attentions of Zephr and Dixon in St. Joseph's defence, the R. A. forwards missed some surprisingly casy chances. A goal eventually came, although it appeared to be half the team who assisted in the scoring, the R.A. weight assisting this point. St Joseph's played pluckily, but Gladwin was only tested at long range, and R. A. did most of pressing but finished poor. In the second half, against the hill, the R.A.'s opened out and their forward work was very pretty,

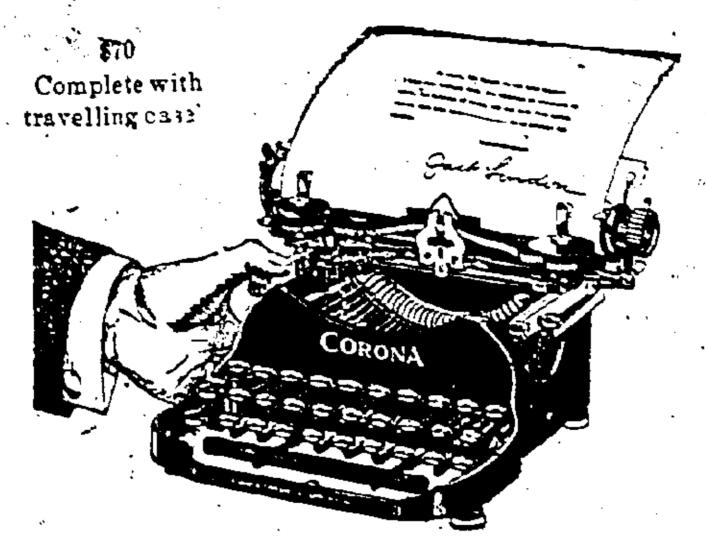
a nice shot by Green finding the

net. St. Joseph's were penned in

their half for quite a period

of this part of the game but the

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AND NOISES IN THE HEAD.

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> to Ary good class Druggist can obtain his partner were steady backs this remedy to your order, or it can be and Gladwin's post was a sinecure.

obtained direct from us upon receipt Mr. Birkenshaw was in charge of "cost.

game. Kelly tried to dash goalie brought off some very nice on the previous Saturday, it through for the Police but was saves and Xavier and Dixon kick- was not to be wondered at that a stopped by Reichelmann, who with fine effect. St. Joseph's great crowd lined the Club ground was playing centre half and from missed one glorions chance in the on Saturday, and the local supa strong attack by the Club for- later stages of the second half, a porters must have fancied their wards Gerrard, centre-forward, fine forward dash by Silva and team's success, but the Navy,

of the game. SOUTH "CHINA V. NAVY. Following South China's sensational."success over the Police

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The game was a good one.

being fast, with clever touches.

and St Joseph's defence did very

fine work. Zepher, Dixon and

Xavier played great games,

Silva and Omar were the

the

shorting was off. Morris, Green

worker behind. Middleton and

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#### EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE PEACE TREATY.

Washington, Jan. 9. The Bemocratic National Committee unanimously passed a" resolution denouncing the attitude of the Senators in opposing ratification of the Peace Treaty and the arrogant Republican leadership in the Senate, which has earned the contempt of the world. The Committee calls on the Senate to quit playing at politics with the ratification of the Treaty.

The Committee passed a resolution repudiating the idea that America, having joined her associates in war, could withdraw and leave them to a merciless fate in order that she might maintain the so-called traditional state of isolation which she abandoned when she went to defend her rights and aid struggling humanity.

#### THE TREATY RATIFIED.

London, Jan. 11. Replying to a loyal message from the citizens of -London on the occasion of the exchange of ratifications, the King telegraphed to the Lord Mayor: "With all my heart I reciprocate their hopes and fervently pray that, please God, this day may be the dawn of a new era in which the people of the British Empire may forever live at peace with itself and with all men."

#### - MEXICAN EARTHQUAKE DISASTER.

Mexico City, Jan. 7. According to the latest reports a dozen towns and villages in the State of Verucruz are either wholly or partly destroyed and Calcultules has been completely engulfed, nothing remaining but a huge pit filled with

#### REPAIRIATION FROM SIBERIAL

Washington, Jan. 9. The Shipping Board is furnishing vessels to repatriate Czecho Slovak, Polish, Yugo Slav and Rumanian troops now in Siberia. The steamers President Grant and America are sailing for Vladivostock, being due there on 10th. Feb. The vessels are expected to make repeated · trips, transporting ten thousand monthly. Thus the United States and the Allies will discharge their obligation to these troops for their war services.

#### STEAMER SUNK.

New York, Jan. 9. The steamer Louisville, formerly St. Louis, was badly damaged by fire at Hoboken and was scuttled in order to subdue the flames.

#### AMERICAN DEMOCRATS.

Washington, Jan. 9. It is definitely decided that the Democratic National Convention will be held in San Francisco.

#### THE SILVER MARKET.

Messrs. Montagu's report states that the market is steary in tone, although supplies are fairly plentiful. The fact that quotations here are well below those of New York naturally militates against any considerable setback.

Messis. Montagu's Annual Bullion Letter mentions the report that legislation is about to be introduced in the United States releasing the Government from its obligation to repurchase at a dollar an ounce the fine equivalent of the silver dollars sold under the Pittman Act, extending the provisions of the Act to a further quantity of dollars, possibly ninety million, and reducing the quality of the subsidiary silver coinage from nine hundred to eight hundred fine. It points out that the market is accustomed to regard forty-six pence an ounce, roughly a dollar a fine ounce at normal exchange, as the bedrock price for many years to come, and the cancellation of the United States mint's instruction to repurchase would remove this element of stability.

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#### FOOTBALL.

(Continued from Page 2.)

although without Graydon, "were an entirely different proposition. Although China started the game in a very hot manner with their well known quick passing game, the Navy backs and goalie remained undisturbed and nothing happened. A breakaway by Stone for the Navy looked dangerous but the back nipped in and was warmly applauded for a clever clearance. Following some very even up and down field play the Chinese right wing brought off a nicely combined movement which was beautifully crossed, but Toms negotiatfromensuing penalty South China were one up, to the usual demonstration. The Navy buckled to their work in the second half and South China's defence had busy time, but the game was very close hereabouts and with trifle more steadiness South China would have scored. Navy halves were holding the China forwards, however, and a nice pass forward to McCarthy saw this forward right through the defence with a fine goal, which performance he repeated just after Bryant completed South China's discomfiture with another good effort, and although the locals made desperate efforts to score in the closing stages, they could not beat Hayward and his backs.

SCRUBL

Considering that the Navy played four men of the Reserve eleven, their performance was a good one and there is no doubt the team on present form is a hard one to beat. Hayward and Amey played very finely and Toms, Radford, McCarthy and were great workers. South China had a of the game but were obviously upset when they found the opposition so steady and were too prone to part with the ball when a dash through individually would have spelt success. Ip Kan, Au Kit Sang, Kwok Po Kun, Leung Dai Fung and the backs were the pick of a rather erratic lot who showed a lot of good football at times.

Mr. Townsend was in charge of the game.

KOWLOON V. CLUB DE RECREIO. The only Second Division match of the day attracted a large crowd, but unfortunately Recreio were weak and Kowloon soon found the weak spots. Only on rare occasions did Recreio break laway and then Jackson or Wheeler cleared with ease. After Millard and Rasmussen had made miserable attempts to score when. well placed. Rasmussen made amends by scoring a very nice "goal, and Millard also got one soon after. Recreio made a brief stay in their opponents' territory and looked liked beating Hyder, but Jackson intervened and sent his forwards away, Knight' completing the effort. Kowloon changed over leading by 3 goals to nil. The first incidents of note in the second half were some very poor attempts by the Kowloon inside forwards to score and a nice break-away by Recreio's inside right, who beat the defence, but was too slow. Rasmussen then got busy and drove hard for a nice goal whilst immediately after the same player headed another goal very smartly. Millard completed the round half dozen and Recraio retired comparatively lightly heaten on the run of play, which favoured Kowloon much more than the score indicates.

The losers were outclassed all round although Brittow did well in goal, where he had-ample chances of exercising himself, but the team was altogether toe light and slow for the wellbalanced Kowloon side. Kowloon had so much of the play that their poor patches were more or less excusable. Hyder and his backs are very strong, but the Kowloon halves, with the exception of Van Langenberg, are poor placers, albeit they play a very hard game, and spare themselves nothing. Mitchell was subjected to very unsporting barracking from the crowd, or a small section, but these latter should not forget to applaud good work also, and in this respect they would help the game. The referee is the best judge of illegal points in the game. The forward line of Kowloon is nicely balanced, being extremely fast and combines well. Rasmusson is a hard working leader. If they pick up their chances they will be hard to beat and the game with Navy Reserves, which will be practically the final for the League. should be a keen fight, with very little in the result. ... Mr. J. Coaker was in charge of

the game.

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#### DEATH.

SILVA.—At Duddell Street, Hongkong, on 13th January, Flora Maria da Silva, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. X. P. da Silva o Import and Export Office. The funeral will leave the house at p.m. and pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-morrow (Wednesday).

## The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1920.

#### HONGKONG AND EMPIRE DEVELOPMENT.

Telegrams still come to hand indicating a most encouraging residents in the Far East very or of the Governmen having to position so far as British trade prospects are concerned. One of these gives Sir Auckland Geddes as saying that, assured freedom from serious industrial disputes, the year 1920 should be one of solvency for Britain, in which a beginning may be made with the wiping out of our debts abroad and the resumption of investments in foreign countries and particularly in the development of the Empire. If that forceast turns out to be true, then it will be a wonderful tribute to the recuperative power of the British nation, that it should be able, so early, to begin ridding itself of the heavy burdens of the greatest war in history. There is, indeed, every prospect, if the people will only realise the necessities of the time, of all our past records being eclipsed so far as trade goes, and it is cheering to feel that there is a very lively appreciation of starting in on the new campaign earnestly and thoroughly without delay. So far from the war throwing us back, there is every reason why it should increase our opportunities, for if the world struggle of the past few years has done nothing more, it has reawakened us all to the great possibilities which lie ahead if only the full resources of the Empire are developed as they ought to be.

Here we come to a matter which is of direct interest to Hong-

kong. Hitherto, this Colony has been principally regarded as a great clearing house, a distributing centre for the South of China It has some manufactories, it is true, but, industrially, Hongkong has never figured very prominently. There is, however, no reason why it should not, in the near future, and in this connection we hail with much satisfaction the announcement that His Excellency the Governor has appointed a Committee for the purpose of enquiring and reporting on the question of the development of the economic resources of the Colony. This, we understand, is the outcome of the recommendations contained in a recent White Paper urging the full development of the resources of the Empire. The war brought home to the Imperial authorities the fact that we were far too dependent on foreign countries for essential supplies, and it has been clearly demonstrated that there is every reason why the greater parts of our needs should be supplied from within the Empire. But a requisite preliminary is that there should be a through investigation of the roles which the various parts of the Empire can fill. Some may possess facilities for manufactura; China's politicians that others may specialise in raw materials. What is needed is that there shall be a careful analysis in all our possessions, by experts, of the possibilities of the situation to-day and in the days ahead. seriously, an expensive thing for provinces along the lower stream. The thing has to be systematically taken in hand. And that is the the country, not only in money idea of the enquiries into the resources of our great and far-flung but in international prestige.

We are not enamoured of some of the nominations made to the THE NICKY LETTERS. Committee just appointed in Hongkong, but, taken as a whole, it should be able to produce quite a valuable report, as its members published by the London Morning Eastern Provinces. Manchuria include representatives of finance, shipping, general commerce, Post, written by the ex-Kaiser to and Mongolia, While Mr. Siu The report of the Indian Curshipbuilding, etc., whilst the inclusion of the names of two officials, the late Tsar Nicholas, make in- was in the North, he was warmly rency Commission is awaited Mr. Gibson and Mr. Tutcher, would indicate that the matter of the teresting and at times humorous welcomed in official, commercial with anxiety by those Indian Colony providing a greater proportion of its own food supply is likely, reading. They certainly do serve and industrial circles by those to come within the purview of the deliberators. We learn that the to bring out in stronger public who have taken shares in the Committee has power to add to its numbers, and that several sub- light the imperialistic and grand- Company. committees will in all probability be formed. We cannot for one lose conceptions that Wilhelm II moment believe that Hongkong's economic resources have in any had regarding himself, and also international tribunal to answer been in existence since sense been fully developed. Indeed, we look to the time when there his very crude and undiplomatic charges as serious as have been summer, and it is apparently must begin to pall after a time. will be large manufactories set up on the mainland across the ideas of diplomacy. As for back made against any man in history, expected that its report harbour, and when Kowloon and the hinterland may be an industrial as 1902 and possibly for It is usually the way of all things centre of no mean significance. Agriculturally also there are great a good many years before, vain, and it is a happening that possibilities in the New Territories. As a shipbuilding centre, the ex-Kaiser had dreams of a should serve as a deterrent pre-Hongkong already has made a name for itself which is known the power that would be his if only cedent for any who might be world over, and with a ready supply of coal and iron close at hand he could remove Great Britain tempted to follow in his inglorious our capabilities in this regard should be immeasurably enhanced. from the path. But to-day, footsteps. Junkerdom is as dead These are only some of the points that will command the attention instead of the glorified position, as the proverbial "door nail" and of the Committee just appointed. The mention of them is sufficient he had pictured to his any who would try to resuscitate to show that Hongkong may be destined to play a not inconsider. deluded imagination, he finds it will find himself up against trade. We shall before long know able part in the greater development of the resources of the Empire, himself not only without a Crown the solid weight of the world's whether the suggested remedy

for the laying down of practicable schemes,

#### NOTES & COMMENTS.

MORE ABOUT BOXING. There is just one further remark we should like to make regarding Saturday's boxing tournament, of which we gave a full report yesterday and also made reference to in this column We think it a pity that there was ever any need for officials to appeal for silence during the rounds, for boxing is a sport that depends on a well-behaved crowd to save it becoming just a mere display of encouraged fisticuffs. It should always be remembered that the men are not up to fight purely and simply; they are giving an exhibition of a science—a science based on the primal instincts of self-defence. So soon as that self-defence is encouraged by cheering and barracking develop into a rough-and tumble fight in which there is no science but only excited fighting it is not a thing which hundreds of men should pay to witness. If two men really do want to fight and cannot settle a difference in any other way, by all means them find a nice quiet spot settle the argument in their own way. The boxing that the Hongkong Association is out to encourage is the boxing of science, restraint and good feeling, and we hasten to recognise that it was no fault of any of the officials that such unseemingly cheering and shouting took place. His Excellency the Governor was sufficiently resentful of the noise and its effects to indicate his disapproval. After Mr. Wildin, the manager, had appealed for order there was an over things and the boxing was boxing, not fighting. We sincerely hope that it wil become generally known that all noise is very sternly frowned upon by those who organise the events, because if there is a re-

altogether different atmosphere petition of what was seen on Saturday there is a very grave danger of bringing things down to a level at which it would unwise to conduct them.

like good boxing and want to see

it encouraged, but we do object

#### to goaded fights. CHINA'S FINANCES.

The telegram received yesterday giving a short extract from the Financial News regarding the manner in which finances are little additional information to to that which they already possessed. The request to the Bankers' Commission for a loan of £3,000,000 will assuredly be followed by another so soon as that money is absorbed into the pockets of those who are in the happy position of being in by the American Consulate Genpower at the time. The large surpluses from the Customs and Salt Gabelle are annually swallowed up by some mysterious process, the large amount being that soldiers get all they are credited with. A few day ago. when commenting on China's position at the close of the late plants; telephone and electrical own pockets at the expense of the goods. public purse—a game that has been played for very many years past. The London newspaper mentioned above may well invent a financial Mark Antony to give it a phrase to describe Chinese financiers and they could conveniently keep that imagined person alive for a long time to come yet. It will not be unt there has come a wholesale regeneration in the minds glorious habit of "making a bit"

point of appearing before an armed strength, too.

THE STONES YOU THROW AT OTHERS TO-DAY YOU WILL FIND YOUR PILLOW TO NIGHT.

The report of the Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie's sermon on "Does it Pay to be Good?" is held over until to-morrow.

The Hongkong Branch of the Ministering Children's League have most gratefully received a donation of \$50 from the Standard Oil Co. of New York.

The Hongkong Tramway Company's receipts for the week ended January 10th, totalled \$12,447, which is a decrease of \$1,139 over the same week last year.

Last week's health return shows four cases of cerebro-spinal fever, two of enteric and one of diptheria. All were Chinese and all ended fatally with the diphtheria.

The First Division Association Football League finished last Saturday, and the Police F.C. owing to their great difficulty in rai ing a team, have given away the points is their three outstand ing matches. The H. K. F. C. are champions with nine wine and one draw, scoring 19 points out of a possible 20.

On Saturday next, on the Club ground, a grand benefit football However, as a stepping stone match is to take place at 4.15 to a gold exchange standard. p.m.; between South China China might for the present Athletic and the Hongkong Foot- have a unit based in gold in be transmitted to the widow of and the silver and the late Warder Speed. Admission | per currency now existing. to the stand will be \$1; members' As a matter of expedifree list being suspended.

day the "strayed" man was given | against the sure and successful inone month, at the Police Court.

arrested in Pottinger Street, the civilised countries. charge being that he had a revolver and 200 rounds of Winchester ammunition which did not have the official sanction. fiteering in silver and much of the It was a case of the funds of the Police Treasury is principally traceable to their squandered in China gives being augmented by \$200 action. Reference is often made in Even Forestry has not been over- fall upon and kill the prince. Act provide free board and lodging for the delinquent for a period of six weeks. Judging by the financial condition of the man the latter alternative would

appear to be the more probable. A Trade Enquiry List issued eral, Hongkong, shows that American concerns are seeking Hongkong connections as listed below: Transformers; ditching and grading machinery; chemi- on them. spent on payments to unnecessary cals and oils; dye stuffs for troops being in nowise sufficiently | tanning, etc.; food products; iron explained to justify the helief and steel and general export; cassia and spices; chemicals and colours, textiles, rubber goods. soap, etc.; automatic lighting year, we saw fit to refer to her apparatus; iron and steel, dyes "politicians" and the open-handed and staples; foodstuffs, tobacco manner in which they line their products, rubber and leather

Mr. Siu Nai Lun, the Chief Manager and Director of the Hing Wah Paste Mfg. Co., Ltd., has recently returned to the Colony from Shanghai after having effected improvements in the business of the Company up North, and having planned for the eraction of a new big flour that the Company will have three principal Branches established in the North, one in Shanghai for of the Yangtsekiang, one in Hankow for the provinces along the upper stream of the Yangtse kiang, and one in Tientsin for the The letters that are now being provinces in the North, the Three of all this.

## DIARY.

(BY "MERCATOR.")

A correspondent from China has been airing his views in the Times' trade supplement on the gambling in dollar exchange that is rampant in China to-day. Much of what he states I am in accord with. Silver is a commodity whose supplies could be told to the very last ounce by any expert. The exchange banks in China will certainly prevent any scheme of a gold standard China, for the adoption gold standard would cut their prefits very fine. There is no doubt that in actual practice China is practically working with two independent standards, copper and silver, and the resultant confusion and hardships, both in trade and individual transactions, are admitted to be great. Considered from every point of view, experts hold that it is absolutely essential for China | caused to Paddy and Mac. His to come into line with the contention as to the percentage rest of the civilised world of Englishmen who had joined and base her currency upon gold. the Army and Navy during the even if not a single gold coin is Great War has embittered the to circulate for generations to local Scots and Irish against come. A gold coin is too big him. "The Philistines be upon a unit for all daily transactions and the practical difficulties of introducing an adequate gold circulation are all but prohibitive in the present circumstances.

ball Club. The proceeds will conjunction with bank notes ency China would have to maintain a double standard for a resources of the Empire. I ex- business tact and courtesy. A constable on duty at Mallory | while, that is the gold exchange | pect the scope of the Enquiry | Street, Wanchai, last night, saw carried out with the present will be wide and that sub-com- can go on to speak of the 'a rogue and vagabond" perched silver standard. There is a con- mittees will be formed to opera itself. Very accurately on a wall in the street. The fusion and tangle in the currency ascertain more fully what can described as rogue and vagabond had no desire of China. The country's imperto come down to be arrested, but fect communications with the dustries that offer opportinities storm in a wild country. The the constable persuaded him to interior and the decentralisation do so by showing a shooter. To- of trade administration militates troduction of a healthy currency administration on any basis A Chinese was yesterday approaching that of modern

> The exchange banks in Hongkong and Shanghai have been prorise in the price of the white metal the weekly reports of Messrs Samuel Montagu and Company to the persistent buying of China of silver. The chief purchasers an indication of the thorough. news of the death of the prince is is an open secret that some of the desired. banks referred to are hoarding their supplies. The arbitrary action of these Exchange banks is stance, in developing the trade in depreciated in many quarters. essential oils. Manythings could They reap a rich harvest from be suggested which could be all exchange fluctuations and transactions and in many cases they abuse the powers conferred mendations of the Resources Com-

One of the duties of a bank is to foster local industries. The business of a bank does not belong to the manager or the Directors A bank is formed by the people be no difficulty in enlarging the of the place wto give financial assistance in time of need to the merchants. A bank should never make it a point to call up money in a stringent money market. This is just what is often experienced in Hongkong. The bank's raison d'etre is to render financial assistance merchants and not attempt to cripple them in times of stress. A recognition of this fact would serve to restore confidence in the Colony. minds of the commercial comfactory in Shanghai. It is stated munity. In the ordinary course of things, the present high many that it is a good thing wonderful power and was always. rate of exchange should to be a Governor. So perhaps a treat to listen to. Mr. Hochloff help, trade, but it doss not it is if you are Governor of any is a baritone of undoubted merit. handling its business in the encourage business, as money is territory other than British. tight. It looks as if there is going this British Colony the man who but the whole of the Company was to be a burst in Shanghai. There has a good employer, combined is a very unwholesome speculation with a fair amount of credit, can of a rehearsal, though it must be in cotton stocks there, and I can afford to sit back in an picture to myself the aftermath chair and enjoy himself, con- they did at such hurried notice,

merchants whose business is ance. Even the delirious joy of adversely affected by the high giving prizes and making rates and the uncertainty which speeches at the numerous educabe forthcoming soon. It is in even a brave man must feel at Captain Superintendent of Police creasingly recognised that if, as the thought of an approaching in refusing to re-issue licences for a result of the proceedings of the Legislative Council meeting, over revolvers which had been enjoyed Commission, the rupse were linked to gold instead of the pound sterling an element of stability would be introduced which would be highly beneficial to Indian provided its possibilities are thoroughly looked into and plans devised and a people, but also on the opinion and also, if need be, of its has commended itself to the Commission.

## ISLANDER'S

(BY "AJAX.")

Create the most material

debate, Will oft produce the bitterest hate.

It is, you say-I say, 'Tis Why you grow warm, and

am hot;

blows."

These lines would be appropriate to describe the annoyance that the Hon. Mr. Pollock's statement at the St. George's Ball has thee, Samson".

development.

New Territories and the question before the war, could be taken plants restless thoughts in her representative of the different As he sleeps, Tartars, important trades of the Colony, persuaded by looked nor, I expect, the breeding II. shows the hall of the palace of animals, for the inclusion of Mr. Gibson on the Committee is feast is prepared, when the sad are the exchange banks, and it ness of the enquiry that is

> Much could be done, for intackled by the Committee. If the Government acts on the recommittee and does not suffer their report to be pigeon-holed, the citizens of the Colony may congratulate themselves on this new spirit that seems to animate the Government. There should members of the Commission. Apparently working on the presumption that interpretation would delay the enquiry. Chamber of Commerce has wisely relief. The composer has given incorporated in the list of members of the Commission those Chinese able to express their views in English. Ghater, the constituted Chairman of this enquiry, I am will shortly be leaving

It has been a superstition with

tamplating the woes of the everything was really credit-Governor. His Excellency must able. get horribly bored at some of the functions to which he has to lend the light of his countenprevails. The Commission has tional and other establishments being given. with which the Colony is blessed will And then consider the dread that which he must preside! It is by the holders for many years. I only just that one should lay am told credibly that although this little tribute of sympathy at many foreigners have been de-His Excellency's feet. Of truth his life is not all beer and sport revolvers in their pockets skittles:

ing said about the action of the sistent.

## THE OPERA SEASON.

"THE DEMON."

Quite frankly, last night's performance at the Theatre Royal was disappointing. Expecting to hear the very beautiful opera "Gioconda," a large number of people had booked seats, but What scarce will suffer a the first intimation they had that anything was amiss was an inability to procure any programmes. Without any announcement from the stage, and starting late, an entirely different opera, "The Demon," by Rubenstein, was put on. The opera, is not a well-known one, and most Thus each alike with passion of those present were entirely at a loss to know what was And words come first-and after happening. On enquiring, our representative was informed that owing to the principal lady who was to have played in "Gioconda" having been suddenly taken ill, a last-minute change had had to be made and, of course, there had been no time to issue programmes. One fully appreciates the difficulties which faced the management but had some announcement been made from the stage, explaining the handicapping circumstances, and asking for a little indulgence, those present would have been much more The action of His Excellency sympathetic than they ever the Governor in constituting a could be when they were Committee of business men to entirely ignorant of what had report on the economic possibiliti- caused the change and why it es of the Colony is a wise act. It vas that they had to watch is left to be seen whether the on opera which, without a pro-Government will act on the sug- gramme, they could scarcely hope gestions of the Committee when to understand. We make that they are finally made. The vir- statement because juite a number gin soil of the New Territories of people present left early on, could be made to grow rice and extremely disappointed. The other valuable cereals. There is Company is too good to have a a general desire at present all bad reputation cast-upon it-all over the world to develop the that was wanted was a little

te done in the various in- opera", it opens with a of further and and greater angel tells the demon that he may gain heaven through love, but is answered with derision. The Great things could be done in the supernatural powers disappear and the storm ends. Tamara of establishing an experimental appears with her maidens; to her farm there, which was mooted alone is the demon visible, who up now by the Resources brain. Here sa change of scene. Committee. The composition of The Prince of Sinodal is on the the Committee of Enquiry is fairly way to his bride, Tamara. of Prince Gudal. The marriage brought. The demon again tries to ensuare Tamara, but she demands to be allowed to enter a convent. The old Prince Gudal resolves to take vengeance for the murder of the prince. Act III. represents the convent. Again the demon approaches his victim, but is driven away by the angel. In the convent cell of Tamara, the demon again appears, asking for her love, and Tamara can no longer withstand him. As she receives his kiss, she sinks dying to the ground. The demon believes he has triumphed, but is driven to flight by the angel, who carries Tamara to heaven.

Having opened thusly one

The movement all through is solemn and there is very little. plenty of very fine choruses and these were sung in good style. The lorchestra, too, was responsible for providing some really exquisite music. The solo work falls mainly on Tamara and the Demon, and these parts. taken respectively by Mr. Hochloff and Miss Sasonzova. were in very capable hands. The former has a soprano voice of All the other principals did well. obviously suffering from want said that, putting the opera on as

It was turned 12.30 before the performance was concluded, some of the intervals being unduly

This evening "Rigoletto"

a clined permits, gas meter readers during the day! Whatever the G.S.P's action in the matter, one There are some hard things be- | would like to see that it is cou-

#### WOMEN'S WAR WORK.

LECTURE BY MAJOR BOWEN.

Major F. J. Bowen gave an interesting lecture on "Women's Work in the War" at the Helena May Institute last evening.

Introducing his address, the limited to his own personal expariences when he was in the South of England. In every part of the Empire the noble spirit of patriotism and self-sacrifice and D. K. Samy. which did so much to win the war was displayed by the women. The women of Hongkong also contributed their bit and in this connection he would like to make two remarks: spent in "expenditure." "So their unavoidable absence (Applause).

manner as they had done in the This gentlemen, I consider, was E. Belilios. Mr. late war.

At the conclusion of his many of you here this evening many others. interesting address, the Major who are able to follow the was accorded a hearty vote of progress of tennis in the thanks, on the proposition of Colony during the past few Captain Basil Taylour, R. N.

#### SCHOOLS FOOTBALL.

TO-MORROW'S FINAL.

To-morrow, at the Club Ground. Happy Valley, the final of the Junior League of the Hongkong Schools F. A. will be decided between Wanchai and Queen's College Juniors. Both teams have won all their matches have not had goal scored against them, the teams in the League only playing one match with each other and by a strange coincidence the match between the two leaders has shaped itself into a final.

An exhibition match between St. Joseph's College, the winners of the Senior Loague, and t e "Rest of the League" will take place also on the same ground.

His Excellency the Governor the various trophies and badges for should be competed for. It rests the competitions held this year entirely with you. If I might which will be: -S: Joseph's, shield | throw out a suggestion it is this, and medals as winners of the 1st that the Garrison and the Naval the Wolfe cup, presented by Hon. dition to running their own Gar- the question of whether there the District Schools Association. be said by some of you that you This cup has this year been won cannot enter teams on account of opinion being that there should another cup for the same com- however, that if such club secre- only one Division, "A" teams petition next year.

very good this year and there heard put forward is that it matters were dependent upon the juvenile and other spectators, as it would at first appear, as the the General Committee after Wednesday's finals promise rules provide that matches may the date for the closing (Capt). to provide a great day for be played off during mid-week as of entries, which was fixed officials are to be congratulated men, I have not bored you with contests to begin inthe first on the success of this healthy and | these few remarks on the Tennis | week in May. popular recreation during the League as it is to-day, but I feel The meeting terminated with

TENNIS LEAGUE.

INTERESTING ANNUAL MEETING.

There was a gratifyingly large was voted to the chair. Amongst Major said that his lecture was L: .-Col. Taylor, Captain Monteith, Pay-Lieut. Comdr. Robin-A. Hicks, H. E. Stevens, R. S.

THE CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH. The meeting having passed a vote of condolence with the Mead, the Chairman, in the course | First, his surprise at seeing, on of an interesting speech, said:his return to the Colony, a small I think you will all agree with band of devoted war-workers still me it is unfortunate that three of knitting comforters and making the Laugue's most enthusiastic bandages for poor soldiers, as it supporters-I refer to our Prethe war had never ceased, sident, Dr. Forsyth, our Vice-Secondly, the remarkable feature President, Mr. Nisbet, and Mr. in the account published the Lindsell-are unable to attend other day of the various war this our annual meeting. I think charities to which the funds raised also you will all agree with me in Hongkong were devoted-and in wishing the former, our Prewhich he understood was in the sident, a speedy return to health, hands of a Lady Treasurer, of that he may again appear among literally minute amount us as enthusiastic as ever. I small was this amount that should be failing in my duty to the people of Hongkong had the the League if I Handtendeavour satisfaction of knowing that to rouse one more that spirit practically the total subscribed of enthusia n that has until by them—and a very generous recently inspire; all participants The Rev. G. R. Lindsay contotal it was-went directly to the in the Tennis Learne. I venture ducted the service at the gravecharities which needed funds so to say, and to say so with very side and on behalf of the badly. Nothing was frittered much regret, that last season the congregation of the St. Andrew's away in inflated expenditure, and League clubs did not live up to Church expressed deep sympathy when one considered how much their reputation. From what I with the wife and relatives was usually spent in the organisa- have heard and also read in a of the deceased. Three volleys tion and upkeep of charities, leader in our popular evening were fired over the grave and Hongkong had, he thought to paper the Telegraph, on the the 'Last Post' sounded by the congratulate itself and those who subject, this seems to have been buglers. so devotedly worked the funds. due in a large measure to the constitution of the League being ly numerous and beautiful, and

> years and if this spirit had prevailed amongst "the clubs during the early days of the League I venture to say that election of officers, it is with very the standard of tennis as played sincere regret that I am obliged to-day would not have reached to resign my position as Secretary such an excellence. There were to the League owing to my leavoutstanding clubs in the early ing the Colony at an early date. days for example, the Civil I shall always look back upon Service. Kowloon Cricket Club my connection with the League. and the Y.M.C.A.—as there are both as a player and an official. to-day and always will be in any with the greatest possible pleasure. League. You have only to com- and I wish now to thank all pare the Football and Cricket those chab secretaries who Leagues in the Colony. I submit, have so splendidly supported me therefore, that it is this spirit of during the ast few years, withcompetition which is all for the out whose aid it would have been good of the game and the in- impossible to carry on. I should dividual, and it is this competition | also like to take this opportunity

Colony to-day.

I appeal therefore, to you. gentlemen, to give the League this coming season your heartiest support and co-operation. Let this season of 1920 be a bumper one as regards entries, and there excellent shields provided for has kindly consented to present competition, and, being there, Division; cup and medals for officers should be induced to enter winners of Junior League and teams for the A division-in ad-E. D. C. Wolfe three years ago to rison and Naval Leagues. It may by Wanchai for the third con- to the fact that the tennis must be two. secutive time and they according- be played on grass courts and that ly retain it permanently. Arrange- you have not the wherewithal to ments are being made to provide supply grass courts. I think, in the event of these being cution next year.

taries got together this difficulty should concede a number of could be overcome. Another objections when meeting "B" teams. the standard of schools football tion that I have frequently It was pointed out that these have been one or two very fine is such a tie to have to play number of entries received, and matches on Wedneslays, wit- tennis every Saturday afternoon. it was decided that the points missed by large crowds of This, gentlemen, is not so real raised be left to a meeting of the Schools Association, and the many fixtures are. I hope, gentle- for March 31st, the League

and play off all your fixtures.

THE LATE MR. J. H. MEAD.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY.

At the Protestant cometry attendance at the annual meeting | yesterday, there were interred of the Hongkong Tennis League, the remains of the late Mr. J. H. held at the H.K.C.C. pavilion last | Mead, who recently died at Shangevening. Dr. Lindsay Woods hai and whose body was brought down on Sunday by the s.s. those present were Col. Humphry, Choysang. There was a large concourse of the deceased's relatives and friends at the son, Master-Gunner May, Messrs. funeral. At the Monument the coffin, which was draped with the Vergettes, R. Basa, S. H. Ismail Union Jack, was transferred from the hearse to a gun carrage. A firing party was drawn from the Defence corps, of which deceased was a member and was in charge of Sergeant Ouberry. The band relatives, of the late Mr. J. H. of the Wiltshire Regiment played the Funeral March.

The thief mourners were Mr. and Mrs. H. Summers, Mr. and Miss Summers, Miss Lesbirel (sister-in-law of the deceased) and Mr. G. H. May (Manlager of Messre Kelly and Walsh). Mr. F. C. Jenkin, C.B.E., represented the Police Reserve Force, of which decease! was also a member, and Captain Stewart, represented the Defence Corps. At the graveside were also noticed the following: Messrs. W. J. Eldridge, W. H. Woolley, W. Bliss. W. J. Crawford, H. McTavish, D. Keith and Lieutenants Higby and Black-

The wreaths sent were extreme-The Major then went on to limited to one Division. This, came from the wife and daughter speak of the heroism and patriot- gentlemen, the Management Com- of the deceased, other relatives, ism of the women of England in mittee of the League were obliged Mr. and Mrs. G. H. May. responding to the national call to adopt on account of the Messrs. Kelly and Walsh. for substitutes to replace the men general paucity of entries, and, at Hongkong, Singapore, Shangwho went to the front. He re- in a littion, to the very few hai, Yekohama and Hankow, counted the various branches of clubs entering A teams, only the Kowloon Cricket Club, Hongkong work in which women took part C.R.C. U.S.R.C., K.C.C. and Football Club. Craigengower -as conductors, cab-drivers. H.K.C.C. Several clubs withdrew Cricket Club, Civil Service Cricket railway porters, munition work- early in the season after all the Club, Kowloon Cricket Club, Iners, nurses, police constables etc., trouble had been taken arranging stitution of Engineers and Ship-He was sure that if another fixtures, etc., the obvious builders, Sparch Supervisors of national emergency arose, they reason being that they felt they the Squait Police Reserve, would again respond to the call could not compete with the Water Police Station, Mr. and and take their part in as able a stronger clubs in the League. Mrs. H. F. Bunge, Mr. R. not playing the game. There are Jenkin, Mr. R. S. North and

> Before proceeding to the next item on the minutes, namely the that has provided us with so of congrutulating the C.R.C. on many excellent players in the their remarkable progress in tennis during the last few years and especially on behalf of the League to thank them for their. generous hospitality on so many

occasions. ELUCTION OF OFFICERS.

and the Secretary.

ONE OR TWO DIVISIONS? Some discussion took place on Years in Germany" its phenshould be one or two divisions in the coming season, the concensus

One suggestion made was that

winter months in the Colony. The that it is essential to make an a hearty vote of thanks first match will start at 3 p.m., to appeal to you to see that the to Dr. Lindsay Woods for the be immediately followed by the entries are a record this coming excellent services he had rendered day and America will be cured of 60 cents the vial, post free, from " season and to go. through with it to the League as Hon. Secretary strikes and Belshevism, says Jeff the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., for several years.

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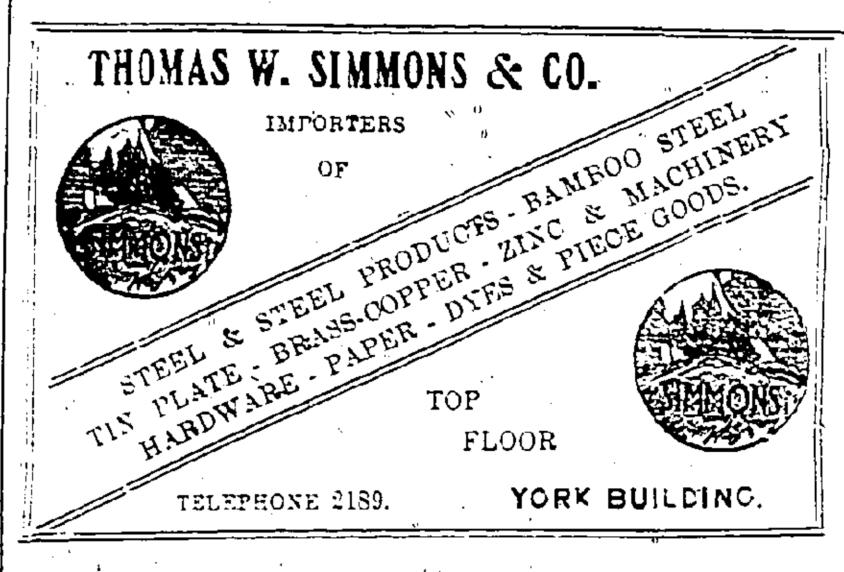
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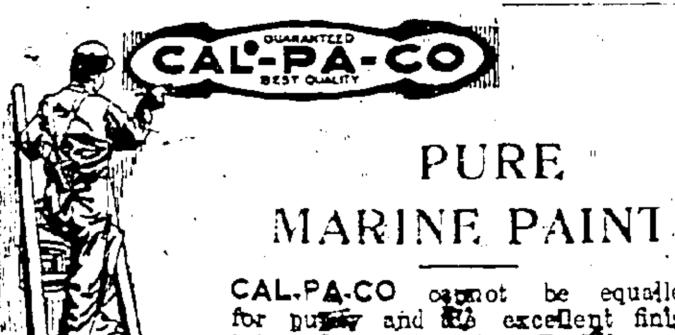
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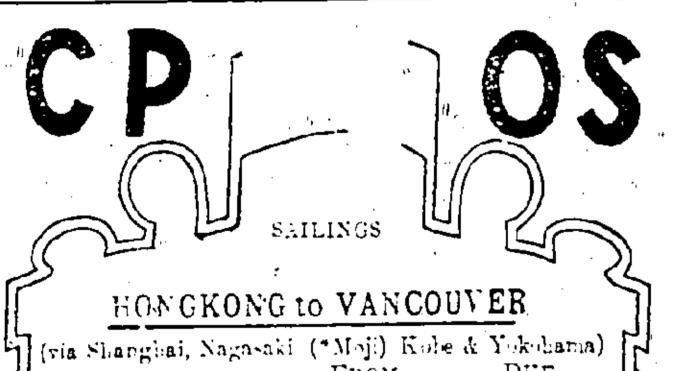
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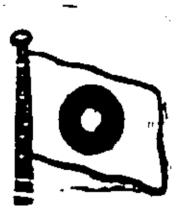
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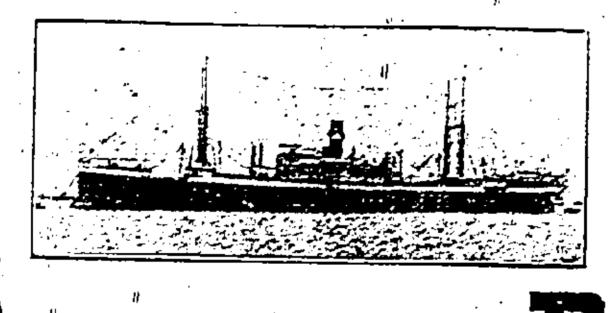
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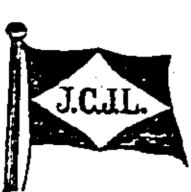
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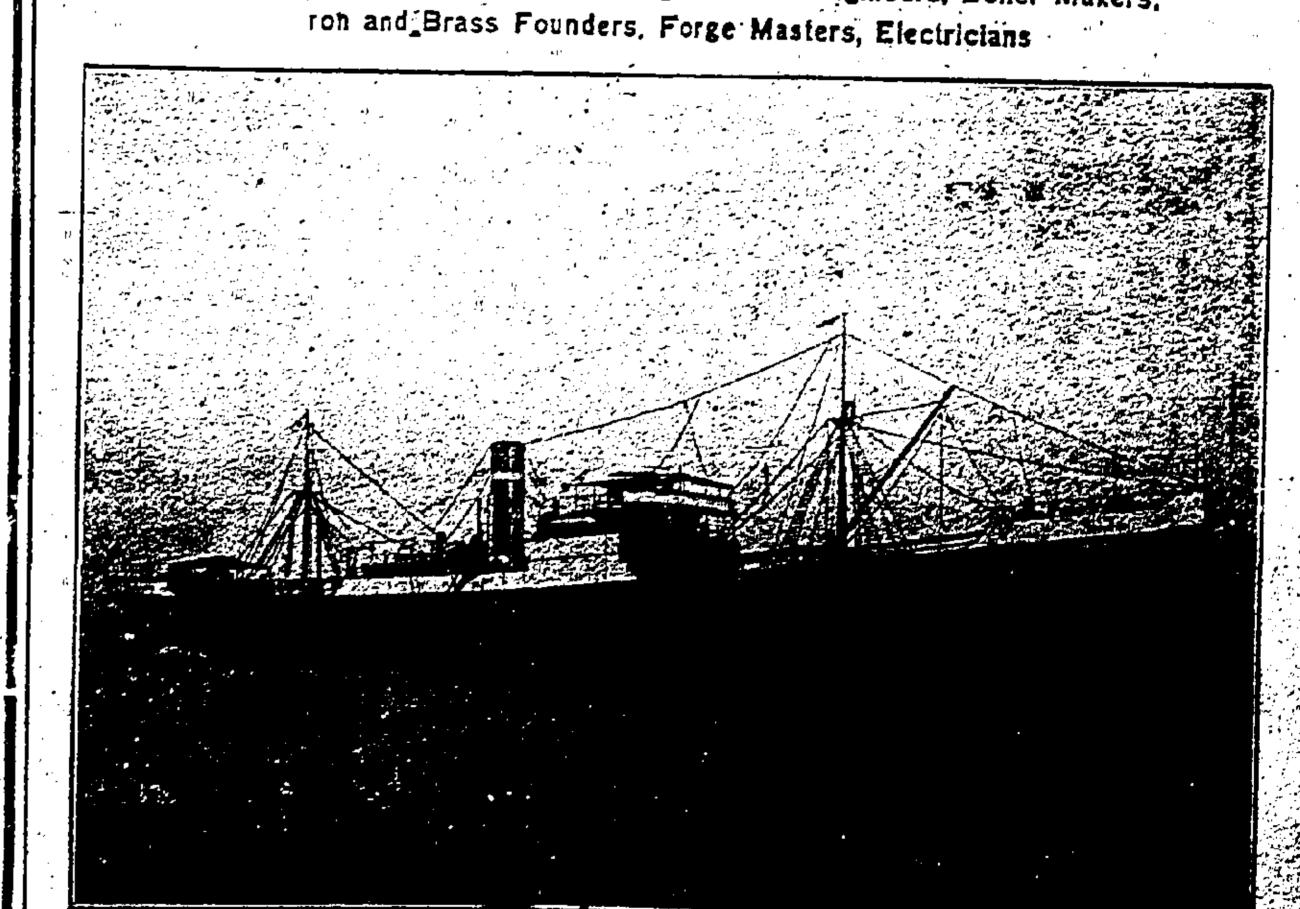
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#### TROUBLE ON THE "LAISANG".

FIREMEN WHO WANTED TO LEAVE.

Nineteen firemen on board the s.s. Lai Sang were prosecuted this morning, before Captain Basil Taylour, R. N., Marine Magistrate, at the instance of Captain R. A. Matthews master of the vessel. wilfully disobeying his lawful commands on the 12th instant in Victoria Harbour.

Mr. J. H. Gardiner defended

the first defendant. Captain Matthews sail that at 9.30 a.m. yesterday the No. 1 fireman told him he would not work any longer on the ship, that he was sick and that if he went ashore the rest of the firemen would go with him. He had a fortnight ago fallen down the bunker and was sent to the ship's surgeon and had recovered and resumed Complainant then had all the firemen up and each man refused in turn to do any more work. He sent for the Police and they all again refused, giving as reason that the price of food and clothing had gone up and they wanted been on the ship since September | the possession of the child. higher wages. The firemen had

engaged another stokehold crew. There was another lot on board \$2, was inflicted. but they were not engaged by him. They must have been engaged by the old lot; they. came on board on Monday morning. The reason the old crew gave him at first was that the No. 1 was sick and they would not go to sea without him. It was when the Police came that they gave the second reason.

fireman had a slight accident as fortnight ago, falling down the bunker. The doctor attended him and sent him back to duty day, the 10th, the No. 1 told him other classes went round Stonehe was not fit for duty cutters (S), 9 miles. take the place of the others.

effects of it. On 27th December last he told the chiefengineer that | front of "Jessica" while "Rolla" he could not work. He resumed was last on handicap. duty a few days before arriving going to take over the work.

. Cross examined by the Count. a imirable start. defendant said that when the |. The Heywarl-Heys got off to a master sent for him on Monday mediocrestart. "Ursula" though he did not say anything leading was some 15 secs. late about the Chief Engineer having at the line. Dawn was second with demanded money. He did not "Sirius" following closely. This report the matter to the master ordered was maintained to Stoneat any time. It was a dirty thing cutters but "Ursula" had inand hence he did not mention it. creased her lead over "Dawn" He dared not report it to the whilst "Sirius" had made up master, and preferred to leave his a little. Getting the wind first of the above League will be held persons who are registered as job. He had been working on "Ursula" was away with a in the Hongkong Cricket Club holders of the issued \$10 shares of board Jardine's ships for a long good lead before the others Pavilion on Monday January the Company on the date hereof time and had never been asked got properly started and not 12th at 5 p.m. for money before: It was not a com- being caught won by a good mon practice as far he as knew. | margin. "Dawn" had a good to send a representative. thing to say.

following decision:-"I am of opinion that no actual refusal of finished behind "Dawn". duty occurred. It seems to have been a case of the stokehold staff. headed by the No. 1, wishing to be paid off, and going about it in evidence in support of

conduct of the men was, if not Chief Engineer having brought manner."

The defendants were dis- saving her time from "Gael," charged.

### STREET BEGGING.

A desire to swell her own earnings led a Chinese seamstress, | An extraordinary general meetwho had happy visions of the ling of the China Borneo Company. invariably the terms used.

It happened that the otherday. through an oversight, an American lady gave one of these youthful mendicants a ten-dollar gold arrived in port on the 8th instant. piece, where only one cent was meant to be the gift. Unlike the formal nature only. At the honest beggar in the well-known | meeting held on the 29th Decemstory, this little beggar did not ber an Extraordinary Resolution return the money, or at any rate, was passed "that the Company her mother had no scruples in keep- be wound up voluntarily, and that ingit. However, the Police arrest- E.A.M. Williams be appointed Lied her yesterday at West Point quidator", and it is necessary that and the gold piece was found in this should be confirmed

The seamstress was charged have therefore to propose wages of the port. They before Mr. N. L. Smith at the that the following Resolution, an Ext aordinary General Moetwere on six months' articles. Police Court to-day, the allegation which was duly passed as an ing of the above named Company Cross examined by Mr. Gardi- being that she aided and abetted Extraordinary Resolution on the will be held at the Registered ner, the Captain said he had not her children to beg. The 29th December, be confirmed as Office of the Company. St maximum fine for such cases, viz a Special Resolution: That George's Building, Victoria,

#### YACHTING

· CLUB.

Mr. J.J. Brown, chief engineer for racing yachts was sailed off risons and Crosfield, Ltd., and the of the Lai Sang, said the No. 1 on Saturday last in a nice fresh Liquidator ". easterly breeze.

N. Fairway Buoy (S), Trocas unanimously carried. Rock Buoy (S), Channel Rocks after about ten days. On Satur- (S), course of 11.5 miles, while the

wanted to leave the Therun to the Buoy in the H'cap ship. Witness asked if any class saw "Rolla" first round. of the others wanted to leave. she having made up from her bad and he said yes. On Monday start, "Dione" was second, closely morning the second engineer followed by "Jessica" who was reported to witness that the men in front of "Dorothea" and had not turned out for duty. "Colleen." Going to Trocas Witness reported this to the mas- Rock the same order was Hongkong Hotel at the following ter and the latter called the No. | maintained but there on coming times: 1 up. No previous complaint was on to the wind "Dione" made by the firemen about the outsailed "Rolla" and was wages. There were a lot of 312 minutes ahead at the club. other men on board on Monday. going to Channel Rocks. "Jessica" These were substitutes ordered too made up on "Rolla" while off by the second engineer to "Colleen" had overtaken " Dorothea" who was not sailing , Chan Kam, the No.1 fireman in her usual form. "Dione" said that on his way down from secured her "first win, casily Japan be met with an anceiders saving her time from "Collegn and was still suffering from the who was second on hanlicap "Dorothea" was third, 13 sees, in

The One Designs got off to a at Hongkong. He told the second fair start. "Ailsa", led at the engineer on Thursday, on arrival | western corner of Stonecutters at Hongkong, that he could not but getting no luck with the wind go on in the ship and that all the saw a boat on either side of her others would leave too. He told gain a lead which she was unable the Ghief Engineer the same to overcome afterwards." Daphne' thing on Saturday. The reason getting the wind first went to the for his wanting to leave was that | front and was not caught again. the Chief Engineer demanded \$300 "Haleyon" retained the "advanfrom the firemer, and not having tage she gained over "Ailsa" and enough money they wanted to finished second 49 secs, behind leave the ship to avoid paying. A | "Daphne" on corrected time. new gang of firemen and a new "Bonito" was last, never fully No. 1. fireman came on board at recovering from her start, her 6.30 on Monday morning and the thelmsman apparently thinking latter fold him that they were be was over the line luffed up losing his advantage of an

The other defendants had no- race with "Sirius". "Sirius" led up to the Ferry Pier but going for Captain Basil Taylour gave the a S.E. breeze towards Causeway Bay lost her advantage and

The Gael class started with "Joan" in the lead, followed by "Gael", "Toinette" "Thecla ". "Gael" overhauled "Joan" on an irregular manner. As to the run to Stonecutters but afterthe accusation brought against wards failed to hold her adthe Chief Engineer, there is vantage, being passed by both "Joan" and "Toinette". Her it, and I very greatly doubt that mainsail looks as if it were any such thing happened. The too full at the luff which whilst helping on a run does not make justified, greatly nathated by the for good windward work. "Joan" easily ; ave her fleet the har dicap by off a new staff in an irregular required of her and won comfortably. "Toinette" was second. "Thecla", being last.

#### COMPANY MEETING.

AN AMERICAN'S MISTAKE. CHINA BURNEO COMPANY,

munificence of Europeans to Ltd. was held at the offices of educate her three little children Messrs. Gibb. Livingstone and in the art of begging. Every Co., St. George's Buildings, at day, she took"her station near noon to-day, for the purpose of the door of the Carlton Hotel, e nfirming a special resolution and whilst she sawed little gar- that was "passed on December ments, her children were deli- 29. Mr. J. W. C. Bonnar. gently engaged in the occupation presided, and there were also already mentioned. They had present Sir Paul Chuter, C. M. G., been taught to utter the few and Mr. A. E. Griffin (directors.) words of pidgin English that she Mr. H. W. B. Kennett (Manager) calculated would move the and Messrs. M. S. Northcote, L. hearts of the "rich Americans" N. Leefe, L. W. Sang, L. Y. Po, who stayed in the Hotel, O Baptista, A. C. Kennedy, A. "Cumshaw" and "Taipan" were W. Smith, and O. I. Ellis (shareholders.)

The notice convening the

meeting, having been read The Chairman said. - Tentlemen: The business for which this meeting has been called is of a las a Special Resolution.

& Matthews " of Chartered | passing the following Resolutions Bank Buildings, Queens Road as Extraordinary Resolutions:-Central, Victoria, aforesaid. (1) o consider, and if, hought Jan. 14th, CARMEN. ROYAL HONGKONG YAUHT be appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up, at such remuneration as may be The fifth Championship Event arranged between the said Har-

Sir Paul Chater. C.M.G., The Handicap boats sailed the seconded and the resolution was

This was all the business.

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Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 16th January, 1920.

#### NOTICE.

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THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Company be wound up Hongkong, on Wednesday the voluntarily, and that Ernest 28.h day of January 1920 at 12 Alfred Mountford Williams of o'clock noon for the purpose of the firm of Lowe, Bingham considering and if thought fit of

> ilt, approve the draft new Articles which will be submitted to the Meeting. (2) That the Capital of the Company by increased to Three million d Hars (\$3.000).-000) by the creation of Two bundred and forly thousand (240,000) shares of Ten dollars (\$10.00) each, rankin ; for dividend and "in all other respects pari passu with

> Company. And in the event of the First! Resolution being passed with or without modification.

the existing shares in the

(3) To consider, and if thought fit, to passed an Extraordinary Resolution to the effect :- That the new # Articles already approved by purpose of identification thereof subscribed by the Chairman be and the same are hereby appoved, and that such Articles be and they care hereby adopted as the Articles of the Company to the exclusion of and in substitution for all the existing Articles thereof.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that a further Proprietor. Extraordinary General Mestof the Company will hold at the Registered Office of the Company, St. George's Building aforesaid on Monday the 16th day o Fabruary 1920 at 11, o'clock in the formuon for the purpose of receiving a report of the proceed. ides of the above mentioned Meeting and of confirming, if thought fit, as Special Resolutions the above mentioned Extraordin-

ary Resolutions 2 and 3. will be proposed as an Extra-

ordinary Resolution. alize the sum of \$500,000.00 stand- with Jublice Road. ing to the credit of the Company's shares of the Company be and the kong Club. same is hereby declared and that the Board be and they are hereby authorised to satisfy such bonus of one of the unissued \$10 shares Clubs interested are requested of the Company credited as fully paid up in respect of each stara of the Company held by such persons as aforesaid and in satisfaction of such aforementioned bonus, and that such shares rank for dividends and in all other respects as from the first day of March 1920.".

Drafts of the new Articles of Association may be seen at any time before the second meeting. except Saturday and Sundays, between the hours of II a.m. and 4 p.m. at the Registered Offices of the Company, or at the Offices of Messrs. Johnson. Stokes & Master Prince's Buildings, Honzbest way of providing for the future, freely. | konz, the Company's Solicitors. Dated this 13th day of January,

> By Order of the Board. GIBB LIVINGSTON & CO. Agents.

## RUSSIAN GRAND OPERA Co.

THEATRE ROYAL TO-NIGHT!

#### at 9 15 p.m. RIGOLETTO.

" 15th, TOSCA. " 16.h. FAUST. " 17th, CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA and PAGLIACCI

" 19th, EL TROVATORE. ., 20th, MADAME BUT ERFLY. " 21s, LA BOHEME.

MATINEES:

Wednesday, Jan. 14th., at 3.30 p.m. LACME.

Saturday, Jan. 17th., at 3.15 p.m. .. TRAVIATA...

PRICES:\$4, \$3 & \$1.

this Meeting and for the Booking now open at MOUTRIE'S.

### NOTICE.

HONGKONG BOXING ASSOCIATION.

(Marathon Race Sub-Committee)

#### MARATHON RACE

Public Generally.

To be run on SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 7th, 1910. ... Start at 3.0 p.m.

COURSE (about 11 miles):-OUT: Statue Wharf (opposite Queen's Statur) past Hongkong Club and Law Courts, up Garden And the subjoined Resolution | Roal to Public Gardens, past Government House, along Caine Road to University, and thence "That it is desirable to capit- lalong Pokfulum Road to junction

HOME: Along Jublice Road Reserve Fund, and accordingly to Kennedy Town Slaughter that for the purpose of effecting | Houses, thence on to Praya (or such capitalization a bonus of \$10 | Water Front) along Water Front

> Race Stewards will be posted kong Telegraph." along the course.

CONDITIONS: Go as you please." NO STOPPING. Minium clothing, singlet and shirts.

Prizes (trojhies) according to number of entries.

ed to send name, "rank (if any) and address to-G. G. N. TINSON, Esq.; Hon. Secretary, Hongkong Boxing Association. c/o Johnson Stokes & Master,

Trince's Buildings, Ice House Street. Details as to drawing for places will be duly published in these

Columns. 24th January, at 12 noon.

H.J. GEDGE. F. C. JENKIN. J. C. WILDIN. G. G. N. TINSON. Marathon Race Sul-Committee.

#### CONSIGNEES.

CHINA MAIL S.S. CO, LTD.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

From SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU, YOZO : AMA & SHANGHAL

The Steamship "NANKING"

having arrived, from the above mentioned ports, Consignees of cargo by her, are hereby notified, to send in their Bills of Lading duly endorsed for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their goods from ship's side or Co.'s lighter into which all th cargo is being landed.

Cargo, impeding discharge will be landel at once and cargo remaining on board or in lighter on and or after Friday, 16th Jan. 1920 will be subject to landing charges. Cargo undelivered on and or after Monday, 19th Jan. 1920 will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed and damaged goods will be landed into the Co's Godown, where it will be examind on Monday, 19th Jan. 1920 at 10 a.m.

No claim will be recognised after the goods have lift the ship's ackle, Co's lighters and/or,

Golown. All claims must be presented within I month from ship's arrival otherwise they shall not be tracognised.

No fire insurance whatever will be effected. O. H. RITTER,

Agent. " Princes Bulling, Ground Floor. Hongkong, 13th January, 1919.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. From EUROPE and STRAITS [HE Company's Steamship

"IYO MARU,"

having arrived from the above the ARMS AMMUNITION ORports, Consignees of Cargo are DINANCE should do so between hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at the hours of 9 a.m and 11 a.m., their risk in the Hongkong and daily, Sundays and Holidays ex-Kowloon Wharf and Godown cepted. Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon Io-day. Goods not cleared by the 20th January, 1919, will be subject to

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examin-Open to all Services, University ation by the Consignee's and the ties, "Colleges, Schools and the Colls representatives at an appointed hour on Tuesday & Friday. All claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after shas, private Chairs, and drivers which date they cannot be re- and bearers of the name are due cognized. No claims will be ad for renewal on the 1st January, mitted after the goods have left 1920.

the Godowns. NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1919.

### WANTED.

WANTED. - Young Lady Daily Nurse Companion to take per share on each of the issued to Winning Post opposit Hong- charge of two little girls aged 4 and 6 years. Hours 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Apply Box 306 "Hong-

NOTICE.

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THE FINEST DANCE FLOOR IN THE COLONY. Intending Runners are request- UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE ON WEDNESDAYS AND

SATURDAYS TEA DANSANTS -WILL B HELD FROM 4 TO 7 P.M. AND

DINNER DANSANTS FROM 8 P.M. TILL MID-NIGHT. In connection with the DIN-NER DANSANTS, i js adv sable ENTRIES close on Saturday, to book tables at the Hongkong Hotel Main Office.

ON SUNDAYS CONCERTS WILL BE HELD DURING THE AFTERNOON AND EVENING. J. H. TAGGART, Manager.

Particulars and Cordi ions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on Monday, the 19th day of Ja mary, 1920, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of one Lot of Crown Land at Aberdeen, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

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# NOTICE.

KOWLOON WATER WORKS.

Owing to alterations to the water mains it is hereby notified that the Water Supply to the whole of Kowloon will be shut of from 9 p.m. on Tuesday, the 13th. instant, until 6 a.m. the following morning.

> W. CHATHAM, Water Authority. P. W. D.

Hongkong, 10th January, 1920.

It is hereby notified that persons applying for licences under

Application to be made at the Licencing Clerk's Office, Central Police Station.

· E. D. WOLFE, C. S. P.

Hongkong, 10th January, 192).

NOTICE:

Licences of private Jinrick-

E. D. C. WOLFE, C. S. P.

Hongkong, 6th January, 1930.

NOTICE.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held, at the Offices of Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Company, Limited on Wednesday 14th January 1920 at 11 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1919.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will b. CLOSED from Thursday 1st January to . Wednesday 14th January 1920 (both days inclusive) during ... which period no Transfer of shares can be Registered.

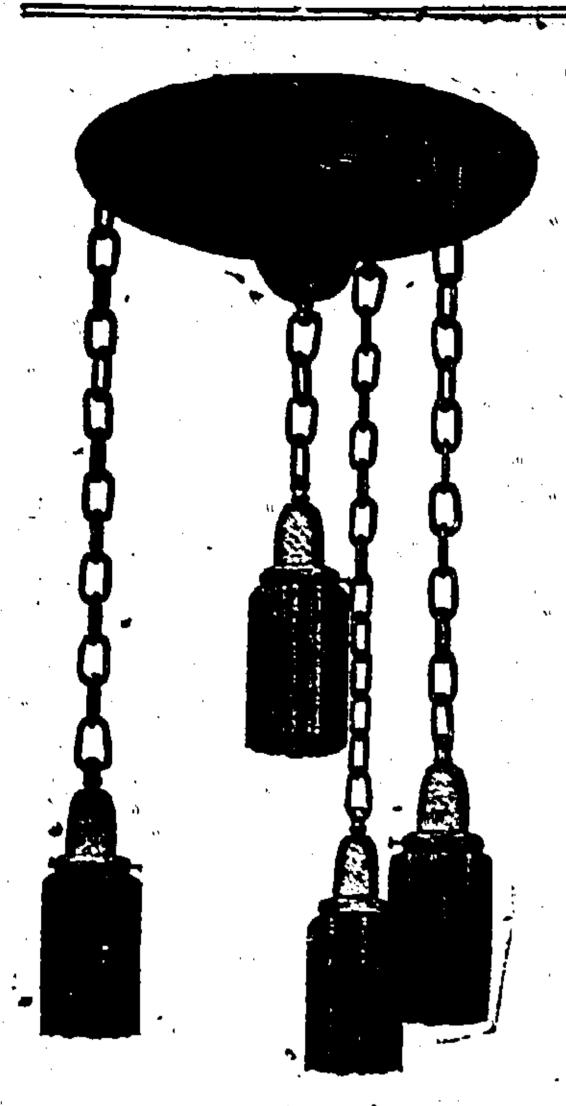
By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON-HOOPER Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment &

Agency Co., Ltd.

General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Ltd,

Hongkong, 24th December, 1919,



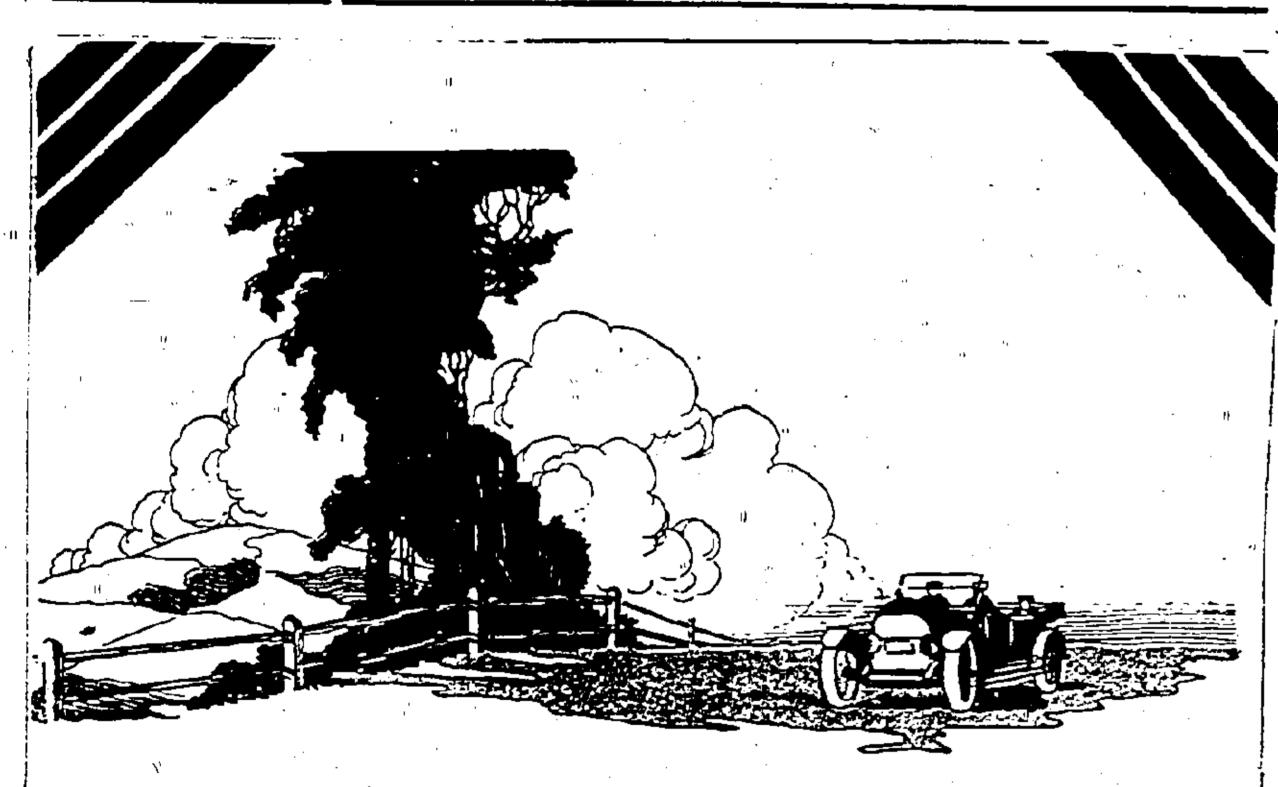
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ports, on 9th inst. consignees are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed at their risk into the Hazardous and/or Extra-Hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf &

Consignees of cargo must pro-

All broken, chafed and dam-

within 30 days of the steamer's arrival here, after which they cannot be recognized.

after the goods have left the Godowns, and cargo undelivered on and after 17th inst., will

send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature immediately.

EMERGENCY FLEET

PACIFIC STEAMSHIP CO. Operating Agents,

5th floor, Hotel Mansions,

Hongkong, 8th January, 1920.

THE ADMIRAL LINE.

THE Steamship

"EDMORE"

via ports, on January 9th, consignees are hereby notified that their cargo is being landed and or Extra-Hazardous Godowns Jan. of the Hongkong and Kowloon of the Hongkong and Kowloon The China Mail Steamship Yuenyuchang, from Shanghai Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Co.'s s.s. CHINA sailed from Tawawchien, from Amoy.

the Superintendent of Imports

aged cargo is to be left in the

countersignature immediately.

EMERGENCY FLEET CORPORATION.

#### CONSIGNEES

THE ADMIRAL LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

HE Steamship

"CITY OF SPOKANE" having arrived from Seattle via

Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, and stored at consignees' risk.

duce an Import permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports & Exports, Hongkong before Bills of Lading will be countareigned.

aged cargo is to be left in the Godowns, where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on 15th inst., by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs, Goddard & Douglas. All claims must be presented

No claims will be recognized

be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance whatever

will be effected. Consignees are requested to

U. S. SHIPPING BOARD.

CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

having arrived from Seattle

Consignees of cargo must produce an Import permit signed by January 24th.

and Exports, Hongkong, before Bills of Lading will be countersigned. All broken, chafed and dam-

Godowns where it will be examined at 10 a.m. on January for this port on the 8th Jan. and Office at Hongkong:-16th. by the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Goddard and Douglas. All claims must be presented

within thirty days of the steamer's | 3.30 s.m., and is due at Tsingtau | tius. arrival here, after which they on 11th Jan. cannot be recognized. No claims will be recognized after the goods have left the Godewns, and cargo undelivered on and after Jan. 17th, will be subject to rent. No fire insurance whatever will

be effected. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for

U. S. SHIPPING BOARD.

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#### MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The N. Y. K. s.c. ATSUTA M. (European Line.) left London for this port via the Suez Canal on grams are lying here:the 13th Dec., and is expected Sinenghin, Des Voeux Road here on the 19th Jan.

RUSSIA arrived at Yokohama transmitted from Yokohama on 5th Jan., left there 5th Jan., from Victoria B. C. at their risk into the Hazardous and is due at Vancouver on 14th. Katojuichi Captain, Burongar

Kowloon, and stored at con- San Francisco on Saturday Dec. Choycheungkuk, Steward of grees risk.

27th and may be expected to Steamer Chinon c,o Yeechan arrive in Hon kong on or about Store, from Amoy.

The N. Y. K. s.s. PENANG M. (European Line.) left Kobe for this port via Shanghai on the 6th January and is expected here! EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRAL.

on the 13th January.
The N. Y. K. s.s. TOTTORI M. (European Line.) left Singapore lying in the E. E. Telegraph is expected here on the 15th Jan.
The R. M. S. EMPRESS OF

ASIA arrived at Nagasaki on 9th Jan., noon left there 10th Jan.,

- The P. & O. a.s. DUNEBA left Shanghai for this Port on the 10th instant at 1.30 p.m. and is due here on the 13th instant at Hotel, from Vevey. about 4 p.m.

The Ben Line s.s. BENARTY from London, left Singapore, for this port on 11th instant, and may be expected to arrive here on or about 18th Jan.

The P. & O. s.s. MUTTRA left Singapore for this Port on the 11th instant at a.m., and is due here on the 21st instant. The N. Y. K. a.s. SHIMO M.

(Calcutta Line.) left Calcutta for from Soerabajaoebjoeng. this port via Rangoon and Singapore, on the 9th Jan. and is Hongkong, 8th January, 1920. expected here on the 30th Jan.

## UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS.

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELE-GRAPH COMPANY, LTD.

The following Unclaimed Tele Central, from Amoy.

The R. M. S. EMPRESS OF Major Villiers Coupon, re

Maru, via H.K. from Tokohashi

T. KRING. Superintendent, Hongkong, Jan. 9, 1920.

ASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH CO. List of Unclaimed Telegrams Bureau Journal Lusingva

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" Superintendent, Hongkong, Jan. 9, 1920.

## EXCHANGE.

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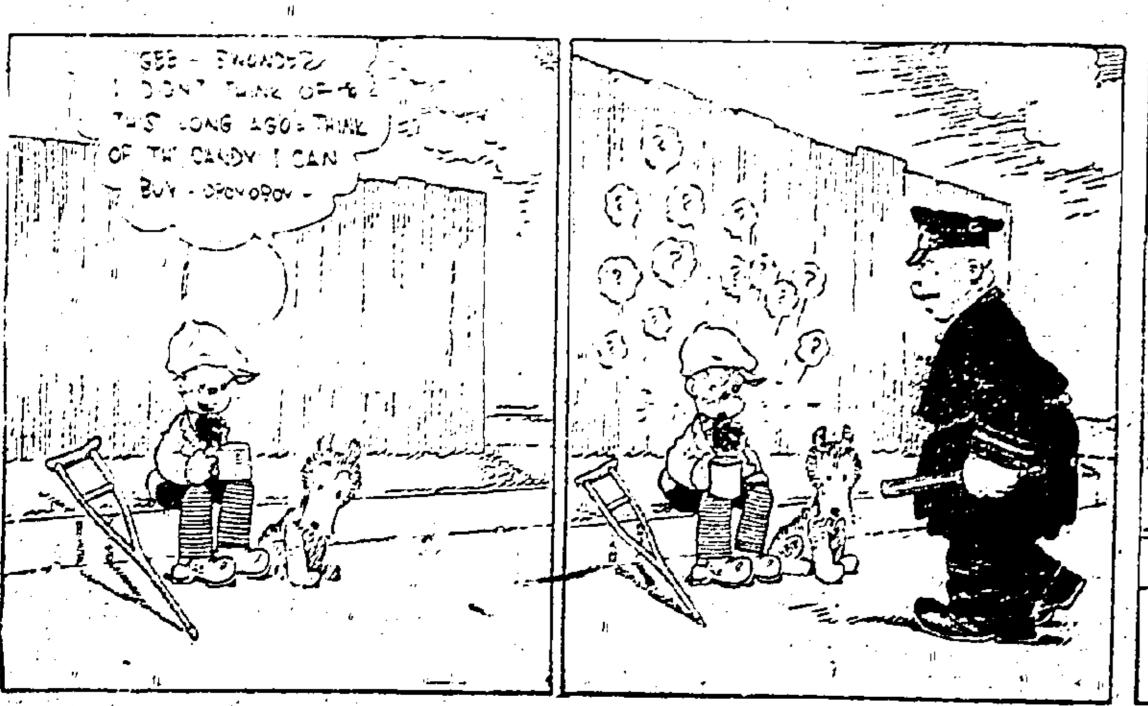
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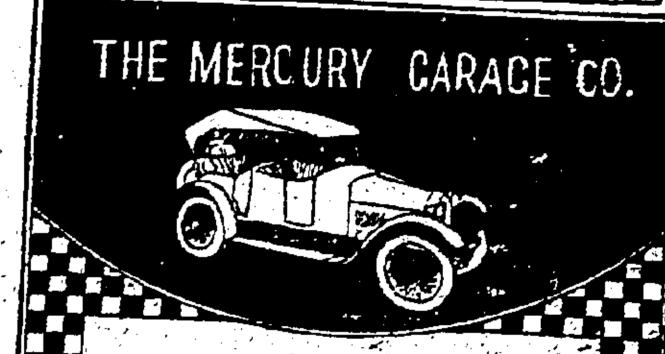
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## TO-DAY'S PICTURES.

HONGKONG TELEGRAPH.



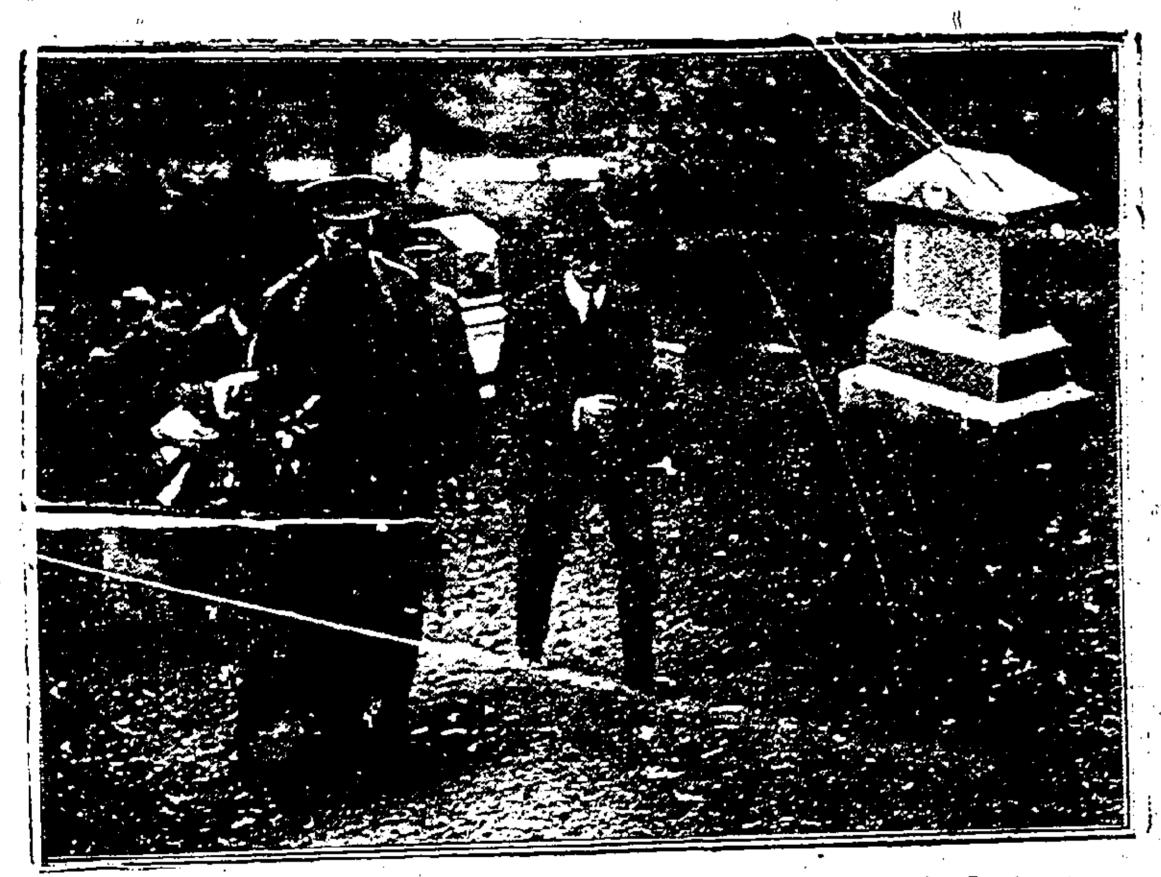
Thousands of Turks swarming through the gates of the Palace of Constantinople to protest against the proposed dismemberment of the Turkish Empire. This photo was made immediately after the Sultan left for his forced holiday in Asia Minor. The demonstrators are shown carrying religious banners.



Above is shown the lobby of the new State Bank of North Dakota. It is the only State-owned bank in the country and the first of a group of North Dakota's publicly owned institutions to begin operations. Below is Miss P. A. Benson, deputy director of the farm loan department.



One of the bravest deeds in American Navy annals was commemorated when the destroyer Marcus was launched in San Francisco. A years ago, off Cavite, after an explosion aboard the submarine U-7, Lieutenant Arnold Marcus, in command, beached the craft and saved the crew, though fatally burned himself. His widow, Helen Cowles Marcus of San Francisco, christened the new destroyer, and the ceremony was attended by his mother, Lady Frank Popham-Young, wife of the retiring Governor-General of India. Lady Popham-Young's picture and that of her heroic son are shown above.



"King Albert of Belgium guided by Lieut. Coi. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., bearing a floral wreath to the grave of Colonel Roosevelt at Oyster Bay.



Prince Casimir Lubomirski first Polish Minister to the. United States, and his wife.



Photo: Underwood.

View of the port of Spalato, Dalmatia, where there has been a conflict between Italians and Jugo-Slavs.

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Tom Aims More to the Point.

BY ALLMAN.









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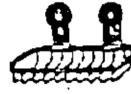
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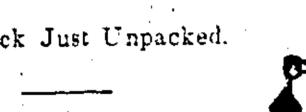




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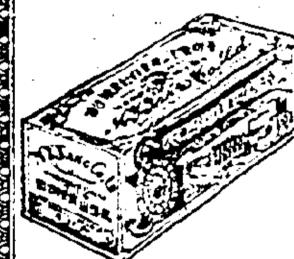


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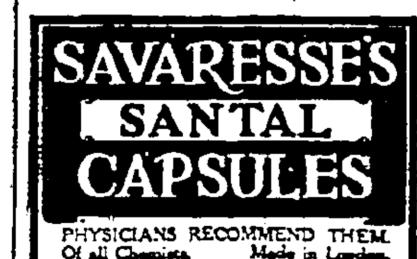
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Level and Storage of water in Reservoirs on January 1, 1930. CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER

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and decimals of gallons during the month of Consumption ..... 19 60 /405 ] head per day....... #4 13. gallons. The Government Analyst's reports show that the water is of excellent quality.

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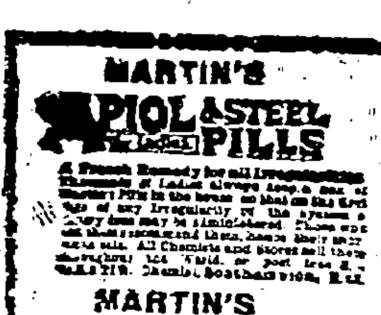
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Swatow and Amoy-Per HAI-HONG, 14th Jan., noon. 8 Fort Bayard, Hoihow and Haiphong-Per SONGMA, 14th Jan., 1 p.m.

Jan., 4.30 p.m. Japan via Kobe-Per FOOK-SANG, 14th Jan., 4 p.m. Swatow, Shanghai and North China-Per CHOYSANG. 14th Jen., 5 p.m.

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The anticyclone has strongthened: Fresh monecon may be expected along the south-ener over of China and over lover northern the China Sea.

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